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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **Thomas L. Byers**  
Application No.: **10/664,259**  
Filed: **September 17, 2003**  
For: **MODULAR ANIMAL ENCLOSURE**

Group No.: **3643**  
Examiner: **A. Valenti**

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES  
(37 C.F.R. § 41.31)**

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner, mailed August 23, 2005, for a second time rejecting claims 1-9, 11-13, 15-21 and 25-30.

**1. STATUS OF APPLICANT**

This application is on behalf of a small entity. A statement was already filed on September 17, 2003.

**2. FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 41.20(b)(1), the fee for filing the Appeal Brief is:

Small entity	\$250.00
Notice of Appeal fee due	\$250.00

**3. EXTENSION OF TERM**

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.

Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

**4. TOTAL FEE DUE**

The total fee due is:

Notice of Appeal fee	\$250.00
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**5. FEE PAYMENT**

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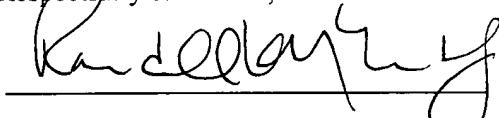
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**6. FEE DEFICIENCY**

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